

# **Arizona Sanitarians Council**

## **Minutes of the Council's meeting on Thursday, March 2, 2006**

Council Members Present: Ernest Arvizu, Harlan Lee, Jeff Terrell and Don Herrington

Council Members Absent: Suzanne Ehrlich

Visitors: None

Don Herrington called the meeting to order at 10:15 am at the Arizona Department of Health Services, 150 N. 18<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Phoenix, AZ.

1. The Council reviewed and approved the minutes of the December 1, 2005 Arizona Sanitarians' Council meeting, with a correction of a typographical error in Mr. Lee's name. M. Terrell moved to approve the minutes, and Mr. Lee seconded the motion. The minutes were approved unanimously.
2. The Council signed the registration certificates for the applicants that passed the Sanitarian Examination in January 2006. Eight people passed the examination taken on January 29, 2006. There were eleven people who took the exam, for a 73% pass rate.
3. Eight applicants were approved to take the examination and one other was approved contingent on receiving necessary documentation. Three applicants were not approved, lacking complete application information.
4. The Council expressed an interest in establishing an "R.S. Emeritus" designation for those retired and no longer in the profession. When talked about earlier, it was learned that this would require legislation. The Council will investigate further.
5. Adding three Council members was also suggested to better represent the State. Arizona's population has grown so significantly that it was suggested that the Council look into legislation to add the members. The proposed addition would be one from the large counties (Maricopa and Pima), one from the thirteen smaller counties, and one additional industry representative. This would give the Council eight members in total.
6. The next Council meeting was set for 10:00 a.m., June 1, 2006 at the Arizona Department of Health Services (room to be determined). The upcoming examination is set for 1:00 p.m., April 27, 2006 at the Arizona Department of Health Services (room to be determined).
7. With no further business before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

Don Herrington  
Chair